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Hon. Denise L. Cote
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Rafael Ramos
04 Cr. 972 (DLC)

Dear Judge Cote:

I represented Mr. Rafael Ramos in the above referenced case. An associate of my firm, Rachel Perillo expended a total of 12.5 hours, nunc pro tunc to July 31, 2023, assisting me with the compassionate release motion.

I apologize for not seeking pre-approval, before the case was finalized. I respectfully pray that the Court approve payment at an hourly rate of \$137.00 for associate time in this matter.

If your Honor needs any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact of my office. Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

David Stern

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Granted.
Denise Cote
2/15/25